

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 6 through 16 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 1 and 2 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) An optical element device comprising:

a light emitting element; and

a substrate mounting the light emitting element thereon and having an optical path transforming structure,

wherein an integral semiconductor body comprises each of the light emitting element and the substrate, ~~whereby comprises a semiconductor body having a surface, the a~~ surface of the light emitting element and ~~the a~~ surface of the substrate ~~being are~~ attached to each other, and

wherein the optical path transforming structure is ~~capable of changing~~ configured to change a light proceeding direction ~~in order~~ to couple light from the light emitting element with a light receiving element.

2. (Currently Amended) The device according to claim 1, wherein the substrate is ~~made of a semiconductor body that is configured such that it~~ does not absorb light being propagated from the light emitting element.

3. (Cancelled)



4. (Previously Presented) The device according to claim 1, wherein the substrate is formed of a compound semiconductor.

5-16. (Cancelled)